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Silent Hope

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I used to weep, uncertain why,
Now, when there's cause, no tears comply.
I strive for a heart of frosty grace,
But within, warmth I can't erase.
Am I too aged to rekindle sorrow's art,
To nurture the ability to weep from the heart?

In this broken, tired state, I dwell, Wounds and weariness, stories to tell. Life's weight upon my weary frame, Yet, within, I seek an ember of the same.

Eyes heavy, shoulders bowed low, Carrying burdens, emotions in tow. In the depths of this tired soul, A yearning to mend, to once again feel whole.

Once, I extended warmth to all I'd meet, Now, my kindness wanes, an incomplete feat. I long to be good to people once more, To bridge the gap my heart implores.

Though jaded and weary, a desire persists, To rediscover the kindness that once existed. Through life has left me craked and sore, I'll search for tears, my heart to restore

In this quest for renewal, I may find, A way to heal a heart that's intertwined; As I seek the kindness buried deep within, I'll rediscover the warmth, let a new chapter begin

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